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# EVERGLADES

## AQUATIC NURSERY SERIES

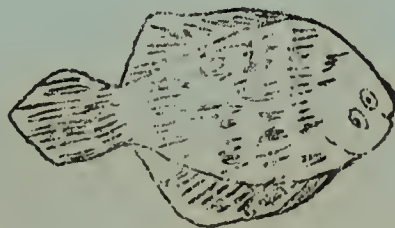


706 PLAZA PLACE

TAMPA FLORIDA

FISH - PLANTS - FOODS - SCAVENGERS

# RARITY OUR SPECIALTY



PRICE LIST



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# Everglades Aquatic Nurseries, Inc.

Breeders of Tropical Fish and Aquatic Plants

*Rarity our Specialty*

706 Plaza Place Tampa, Florida



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May 20, 1933

Mr. E. C. Auchter,  
U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
Bureau of Plant Industry,  
Horticulture,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

We are in receipt of your letter of the 17th. instant and as per your request, are sending you herewith our latest price list.

As most of our business is in the line of Aquatic plants and Tropical fish, you will not find any of the terrestrial plants listed therein. One of the plants that you will be asked about quite a lot is our Madagascar Lace Plant, we being the only Commercial Distributors of this plant in the world. Should you ever care to see one of these, you might call on Mr. Fred Cringer of the Bureau of Fisheries Aquarium; we presented one of these plants with our compliments to the United States Government.

Thanking you for giving us a chance to let you know what we have, we remain,

Yours very sincerely,  
EVERGLADES AQUATIC NURSERIES, INC.

Per \_\_\_\_\_

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ENC. P. L.



MADAGASCAR LACE PLANT



WATER HYACINTH



EVERGLADES AQUATIC NURSERIES  
706 PLAZA PLACE  
Tampa, Florida.

GENERAL BUSINESS TERMS

ADDRESS-

Please spell your name in print form if possible, so that there be no danger of mis-sending your order, thereby, causing delay and death to either plants or fish.

SHIPMENTS-

All shipments go forward in rotation as they come in, we reserving the right to either ship by Express or Parcel-post, whichever may be the safest at the time.

TERMS-

Orders go forward only when sufficient funds to cover are accompanied with order. Shipments made C.O.D. (either by Express or Parcel-post), will go forward only when at least 50% of the total is sent with order to guarantee acceptance of same.

SHIPPING CANS-

All fish go forward in the regular American shipping cans, for which we charge 50¢ per can and same is not returnable. Should you care to have us ship in the large German cans, we charge \$1.00 per can for same and on return of this can prepaid, we will either give you credit for the amount advanced or send you our check for same. These are returnable for credit when returned prepaid. Prepaying a returned can costs only 20¢

REPLACEMENTS-

We replace fish and plants only when accompanied by a bad order slip from the Railway Express Agency. Please examine same on arrival and if such be the case, get this bad order slip.

INQUIRIES-

We do our best to answer all questions, but for fuller instructions on fish and plants, you will find Wm. T. Innes and Ida M. Mellons books among the best authorities. For identifying fish, the Bilderatlas is the best.





FLORIDA TROPICALS SHIP WELL ALL WINTER  
"L" STANDS FOR LIVE BEARING VARIETIES

	Per Pair	Per Doz.
L - Mollienesia Iattipina (Extra Large Sailfin Show Stock) -	\$.75	\$ 3.75
Fundulus Crysotus (Golden Fundulus) . . . . .	.75	3.75
Fundulus Macdonaldi . . . . .	1.50	7.00
L - Gambusia Holbrooki (Leopard Fish) . . . . .	.75	3.50
L - Gambusia Affinis (Best for destroying Mosquito Larva) . .	.25	1.25
Elossoma Evergladi (Pigmy Sunfish) . . . . .	1.25	6.00
Cyprinodon Variegatus (Sheephead Minnow) . . . . .	1.50	7.00
Dormitator Maculatus (Sleepy Goby - Very interesting) . .	1.50	7.00
Sand Darter . . . . .	1.25	5.00
Enneacanthus Gloriosus (Dwarf Sunfish) . . . . .	1.25	5.00
Chriopeops Goodei (Beautiful Blue dorsal and Red fins)	1.00	4.50
Jordanella Floridae (Very showy Florida Cichlid-like fish- Orange finage)	.75	3.75
Fundulus Notti (Florida Zebra Fish) very beautiful . . . .	1.50	6.00
L - Heterandria Formosa (Real Mosquito fish - "Cute") . . . .	.25	1.50

FOREIGN TROPICALS

L - Limia Vitata (Deep Orange finage-Cuba) very, very pretty	2.50	-
L - Limia Nigrofasciata (Rare and Odd) (Haiti) . . . . .	2.50	-
L - Toxes Ridley (New Cuban Mosquito Fish) . . . . .	1.25	-
L - Gerardinus Metallicus (Cuba) Very showy	1.25	-
L - Chesterodon decemmaculatus (La Plata River, S. A. ) "10 Spot"	2.00	-
L - Gold Platy (Clear lemon gold color - Red dorsal) . . . .	1.50	6.00
L - Blue Platy (Of Blue-Green shadings) exceptionally pretty	1.25	5.00
L - Black Platy (Wide Black stripe through center of body)	1.50	6.00
L - Blood Red Platy (Best strain and Pure - Breeders) . . .	2.00	8.00
L - Mexican Swordtails - Green . . . . .	1.25	5.00
L - Mexican Swordtails - Orange Sided (Hybrids) . . . . .	2.00	8.00
L - Hybrid (Holleri Rubra) In variegated colors of Green, . .		
Red, Blue and Black, all in one fish 1. . .	2.00	10.00
L - Lebistes Reticulatus (Guppy) Old Type - Good color . .	.25	1.50
Brachydanio Rerio (Zebra Fish) . . . . .	.75	3.50
Barbus Ticto (New Pigmy Barb - Red Dorsal, etc.) . . . .	1.00	5.00
Barbus Conchonus (Rosy sided Barb - Very Popular) . . .	1.00	5.00
Hemigrammus Caudovittatus (Beautiful) Red Fins-Blueish Body	1.00	5.00

NEST BUILDERS

Betta Cambodia (Veiltail) Pink Body (Show Specimens)	3.00	-
Betta Splendens " Smardigan Green " "	3.00	15.00
Betta Splendens " Green-Red " "	3.00	15.00
Betta Cyana " Indigo Blue " "	4.00	-
Dwarf Gourami (Breeders) Beautiful " "	2.50	12.00
Gourami Labiosus (Large and Beautiful) " "	2.50	-
Polycanthus Dayi (A neglected peaceful beauty with Phosphorescent finnage)	1.25	5.00
Paradise Fish (Chinese forked tail) Exceptionally beautiful specimens	.75	3.50

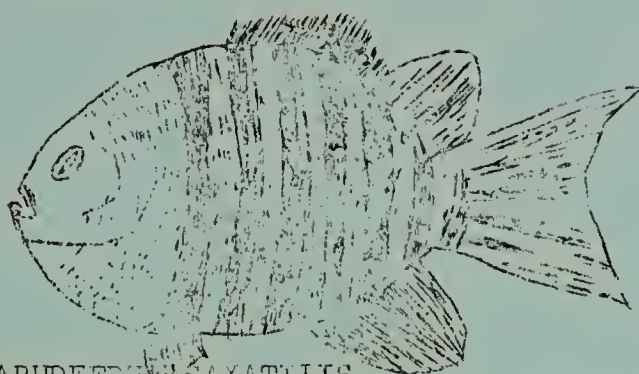


Really a rarity worth having. Males are colored with Blue and Phosphoresent Green, also Dark Red, having flowing porcupine like dorsal rays. Females as highly colored, not having the porcupine like rays. See picture above or Bilderatlas.

	Per pair	\$3.00
( 3 Pair )	" "	2.25
( 6 " )	" "	2.00
(Young )	Each	.75



RARE FISH CONT'D



ABUDEDEFDUF SAXATILIS  
"THE CONVICT FISH"

The newest, as well as among the most beautiful of barred fish. This new addition is one of the most graceful and interesting fishes that we know of. Above picture will give you an idea of same. The bars on these fish are very wide and are of a Blue-Black shade. These colors do not fade out and during the breeding season, there is nothing more beautiful than these fish. It is our pride and we recommend same to all Aquarists for something new and distinct. Be sure and try a pair.

	Per Pair	\$3.50
(3 Pair)	" "	3.25
(6 Pair)	" "	3.00

AMBASIS RANGA  
(Glass Fish)

Very rare, our own and raised on dry food

<u>Per Pr.</u>	<u>Per Doz.</u>
\$ 3.00	\$ 15.00

AMBASIS COMMERSONI  
(Glass Fish)  
NEW AND BEAUTIFUL

Per Pair	\$2.00
Per Doz.	8.00

ANGEL FISH  
"SCALARE"

One of the most popular of aquarium fishes. Very stately.

Medium Size Fish	Per Pair \$ 2.00
Large Breeders	" " 10.00

BLACK MOLLIESIA SPHENOPS

Velvet Black Breeders	Per Pair \$4.00	Per Doz. \$22.00
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BLACK MOLLIESIA SAILFINS

Velvet Black Breeders (Beautiful Large Specimens)	Per Pair \$ 7.50
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OUR NEWEST AND MOST BEAUTIFUL RARITY

BLUE DEVIL FISH  
"POMACENTRUS SPES."  
(See Bilderatlas)

These Most Beautiful Blue fish are the latest addition to the Aquatic world. They far surpass anything we now have in beauty even out shining the Solid Blue or Green Fighting Fish in color. The reason we call them Devil Fish, is because they are the Devil amongst themselves, fighting at all times, but they are so beautiful, that they are worth being kept in a separate aquarium. These fish were the sensation of the shows. Sides Blue, Tail and Fins Orange Yellow. Gorgeous is all we can say:

Per Pair	\$4.00
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BEAUTIFUL RARITY

SPEARTAIL GUPPYI

This Newest Rarity has tail in the shape of a spearhead (we don't mean sword) and when it is excited, half of the body turns solid black. It is the most highly colored of the Guppyi variety and the males are usually twice the size of the average American Guppyi. They cause a sensation wherever presented. "Get yours before we sell out again!"

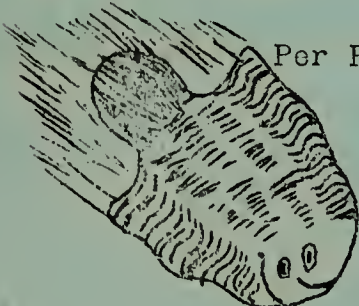
WECHSLER STRAIN

Per Pair

\$1.00

Per Dozen

\$5.00



AEROPLANE FISH

FRESH WATER FLOUNDER OR SOLE

A real oddity. These Fresh Water Flounders or Sole have both eyes on one side of their head and swim different from any other fish in our aquariums. Innes calls them AEROPLANE FISH and they really look it when they start from one end of the aquarium to the other, swimming on the horizontal. Very Odd and Attractive! As well as amongst the best scavengers.

	Per Pair	\$2.50
( 3 Pair )	" "	2.00
( 6 Pair )	" "	1.75

THE NEW

MEXICAN BLUE SPOT CICHLID

NEW NAME

HERYCHTYS CYANAGUTTATUS

OLD NAME

NEETROPLUS CARPINTUS

This Cichlid has been bred only once in this country and this happened at the Greater City Aquarium Society show last year. Very odd and beautiful. Males when full grown form a hump that reminds you of our American Buffalo and both fish are flecked in Blue and Green Spots.

Breeders	Per Pair	\$3.50
Young	" "	2.50

GEOPHAGUS BRAZILIENSIS

One of the Newest small Cichlids from Brazil. Highly colored and very beautiful. Bred recently for the first time in Philadelphia. Odd finnage.

Breeders	Per Pair	\$3.50
Young	" "	2.50

SCAVENGERS

	<u>Each</u>	<u>Doz.</u>
Florida Newts, harmless to all fish and very cute . . . . .	.35	-
Florida Musk Turtles . . . . .	.25	-
Tadpoles or Polywogs . . . . .	.05	-
Colored Marble Snails (Freshwater Periwinkles)		
<u>NEW AND RARE</u> - Having the hardest shell of any fresh water specie and being able to withstand the attacks of all Tropical Fish. <u>Very good</u>		
Potomac Trapdoor Live Bearing Snails (Very Beautiful) . . . . .	.10	1.00
Striped and Old Horn color, like Japanese Live Bearing Snails, but prettier . . . . .	.10	1.00





SCAVENGERS CONT'D.

	<u>Each</u>	<u>Doz.</u>
Period Snails (Pigmy) Same body as a Japanese snail, only about twice the size of a period . . . . .	-	.50
Red Copenhagen Ramshorn Snails . . . . .	.15	1.50
New Red Australian Snails . . . . .	.15	1.50
Japanese Live Bearing Snails . . . . .	.20	1.50
Florida Paper Mottled Shell Snails (NEW) . . . . .	.15	1.30
Black Ramshorn Snails . . . . .	.05	.30
New Hard Shell Florida Horn of Plenty Trumpet Snails . . . . .	.05	.40
Fresh Water Shrimp (Fairy) Very interesting, harmless addition to your aquarium and one of the <u>very best scavengers</u> . Look like the edible variety. about 1" in size. (These <u>require a shipping can</u> ) . . . . .		1.00
Clams (Best for pools) . . . . . 2 for	.25	1.00
Mussels (Best for Aquariums or Pools) . . . . . 2 "	.25	1.00
Ampullaria Gigas Snails (Infusoria Makers) Very good Hydra destroyers - they eat the Hydra from off the glass. Should be fed lettuce . . . . . 2 3 for	.50	2.00

HATCHERY STYLE FISH FOOD

The kind we raise our own high grade fish with and our own secret.

Per 1/4 Lb. 35¢      Per 1/2 Lb. 60¢      Per 1 Lb. \$1.00

HATCHERY STYLE INFUSORIA MIXTURE

Made out of dried water plants. All you have to do is add water to same and let stand in the sun for half a day, then keep in shade. Infusoria made this way will produce the healthiest of egg layers. .50¢ per portion.

RARE PLANTS



DWARF MADAGASCAR AQUARIUM LILY



!!! MADAGASCAR LACE PLANT !!!



AFRICAN FOUR LEAF CLOVER

At last, the rarest Aquatic plant in the world is available. After almost ten years of trying to get this plant into this country, we have succeeded in getting a supply and are now propagating same. Until this plant gets to be more plentiful, our price on same is \$12.00 per young plant, leaves of which average 6" to 8" in length.

For extra Large Show plants 8" to 12" in length leaves, our price is \$16.00 per plant.

We are the only distributors of the Lace Plant in the world. They are very fastly disappearing in Madagascar, their home, because the natives for centuries have dug up the roots of this plant during the dry season and eaten them.

NEW MADAGASCAR DWARF AQUARIUM LILY

Will bloom a light Blue lily in your aquarium in ordinary sand. We don't know its name, as the original stock came with our shipment of Madagascare Lace Plants. Does not require direct sunlight, but likes a little of it. A True live bearing lily. Reproduces young plants from center of old leaves. Very interesting. Per Plant \$1.25





RARE PLANTS CONT'D.

AQUATIC FOUR LEAF CLOVER

This is a rarity from the Medeterranean Shores and a real rarity at that. Will grow fine in any aquarium or pool that has plenty of sunlight. Really belongs to the Fern family. Reproduces through spores, as well as shoots.

Per Plant \$1.00

REAL HETERANTHERA

A very beautiful Central American aquatic, blooms small Hyacinth like blossoms in the aquarium

12 Sprigs for \$1.00

Rare!

RUFFLES PLANT

Very Odd!

50¢ Each

CRYPTOFLO

A New Rare plant very much like the well known Cryptocorne, but of a very much prettier light green shade.

Per Plant 25¢ 3 Plants for 60¢

PURPLE WATER SHIELD (BRASSENIS PURPUREA)

A New Tropical Plant with oval shaped leaves that grows well in an aquarium.

2 Plants for 50¢ 6 Plants for \$1.25

PENNYWORT

Very pretty New Plant that have leaves about the size of an English penny. Grows well in an aquarium.

Per Plant 15¢ 2 Plants for 25¢

NEWEST SENSATION

RED FOXTAIL! (MYRIOPHYLLUM)

This is a most beautiful addition for one that likes color in their aquarium. Gorgeous is all we can say.

Per Bunch 20¢ 3 Bunches for 50¢

LUDWIGIA ROSAE

This is DIFFERENT and RARER. The leaves are a deep coral red, there is no plant like it anywhere. We don't mean green undersides to the leaves, we mean that both sides of leaves are red. BEAUTIFUL and GORGEOUS is all that we can say. Grows only in South Florida.

Per Bunch 15¢ 4 Bunches for 50¢ Per Dozen \$1.00

GIANT (GRANDI) SAGITTARIA 12" to 18"

CULTIVATED VARIETY OF SAGITTARIA SINENSIS

These plants are AQUARIUM GROWN and are of a beautiful light shade of green. They are much finer than ordinary pond grown stock and are good for spawning Angel Fish.

"NICE LARGE STOCK"

Per Plant 20¢ 3 Plants for 50¢ Per Dozen \$1.75

NEW DWARF SAGITTARIA NATANS

SAGI-VAL

This plant resembles Italian Vallisneria a bit and blooms a very pretty white flower in the aquarium

Per Dozen Plants 60¢



Very beautiful addition for the small aquariums. The leaves are rather wide for so small a plant.

SAGITTARIA NATANS - ABOUT 18"

Long leaf BEAUTIFUL AQUARIUM GROWN plants, something like Grandi, but leaves are narrower.

SAGITTARIA SINENSIS - 6" to 12"

Wide leaf large plants, most beautiful of all Sagittarias and AQUARIUM GROWN.

Per Dozen Plants	\$1.40
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These plants are GREENHOUSE GROWN in aquariums.

Per Dozen Plants 60¢

Per 100 Plants \$3.00

Just like Italian, but of a darker green shade and a tougher leaf. Can stand more rough handling from fish, snails or humans.

Per Dozen Plants 40¢

Per 100 Plants \$2.25

These plants are GREENHOUSE GROWN and are also good for spawning Angel Fish.

Per Dozen Plants 75¢

A most beautiful hybrid between Italian and Florida Vallisnerias. Some leaves are variegated in beautiful light and dark shades. Stands out in your aquarium.

Per Dozen Plants 60¢

Per 100 Plants \$3.50

Baby Tears (Exceptionally beautiful Dwarf Plant)	Per Bunch	\$ .20	- 3 for	50¢
Cabomba	2 "	.25	- 6 "	50¢
Hornwort	2 "	.25	- 6 "	50¢
Ludwigia (Mullerti, Gladulosa & Gigantia)	2 "	.25	- 6 "	50¢
Fla. Dwarf Anacharis (New and very Beautiful)	Per "	.20	- 3 "	50¢
English " " " " " "	Per "	.20	- 3 "	50¢
Giant Anacharis	2 "	.25	- 6 "	50¢
Elodea gracilis (Floating) Will root	3 "	.25	-	
Bacopa	2 "	.25	-	
Potamogeton	3 "	.50	- 6 for	75¢
Utricularia Minor (Rare) Bladderwort		.50	per	portion
Utricularia Major " "		.25	" "	
Hairgrass (Floating) Good for Baby Fish. Will root		.25	" "	
Sagittaria Subulata (Narrow Leaf 5" to 10")		.50	per	dozen
Water Moss	Per Bunch	.20		
Water Cress	" "	.20		
Utricularia Plumosis	2" "	.25	- 6 for	50¢
Underwater Pine	Per Bunch	.15		
Needle Grass	6" Plants	.25		
Underwater Palm		.50	per	dozen
Sputterdock		.25	"	plant
Sputterdock (Extra Large)		.50	"	"
Duckweed		.25	"	portion
Crystalwort (Riccia)		.50	"	"
Salvinia		.25	"	"
Azola		.25	"	"







PLANTS FOR POOLS OR AQUARIUMS

Water Hyacinths . . . . .	2 Plants for	25¢	6 for	50¢
Water Lettuce (Shell Flower). . . . .	2 "	" 25¢	6 "	50¢
Water Fern (Floating) Australia . . . . .	2 "	" 25¢	6 "	50¢
Water Poppy . . . . .	6 "	" 75¢	Per Dz	\$1.25
Water Snowflake . . . . .	2 "	" 50¢	6 for	1.25
Quillwort or Pipewort . . . . .	6 "	" 50¢		
Giant Vallisneria (Pond Grown) Pool or Large Aquarium . . . . .		40¢	per Doz.	
Parrotsfeather (South American) . . . . .	Each	05¢	Per Doz	50¢
Florida Parrotsfeather . . . . .	"	05¢	" "	50¢
Cat Tail,(For Pools) . . . . .	2 Plants for	50¢		
Pickrel Rush (For Pools)(Beautiful Hyacinth like Flowers) 3	Plants for	50¢		
Arrowhead Sagittaria (Pool)		\$1.00	per doz.	
Dwarf Hardy White Water Lillies(For Tub or Pool) . . . . .		.50	Each	
Giant Hardy White Water Lillies,(For Pool) . . . . .		1.00	"	
Giant Florida King Bog Ferns . . . . .		1.00	"	
Frogbit . . . . .	3 Plants for	.50		
Spider Lily (Bog) . . . . .		.50	Each	
Florida Yellow Lily . . . . .		1.00	"	
Florida Lavender-Pink Lily . . . . .		1.25	"	
Elephant Ears . . . . .		1.00	"	
Saururus lucidus . . . . .		.25	"	
Sagittaria Incifolia . . . . .		.75	Per Doz.	
Iris Versicolor . . . . .		1.00	" "	
Quill Reed . . . . .		.60	" "	
Everglades Saw Grass (New Novelty) . . . . .		.60	" "	



FOXTAIL (Red)



GIANT SAGITTARIA GRANDI



ITAL-FLO  
VALLISNERIA



LUDWIGIA ROSAEFLORA



WATER POPPY



WATER HYACINTH



UNDERWATER PALM



(SHELL FLOWER)  
WATER LETTUCE



PURPLE  
WATER SHIELD  
(BRASSENIS PURPUREA)



CRYPTOFLO



RUFFLES PLANT



PENNYWORT

